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Autistic teenager triumphs with GCSE and BTEC grades

A TEENAGER diagnosed with autism has defied doctors' predictions that he would never talk by triumphing academically.

Cameron, 19, from Southend, proved doctors wrong by achieving a GCSE A in English at Seevic College.

Connor said: "When I started at Seevic, I had hardly any qualifications so to get an A in English means a lot

for me.

"I am so happy and proud to have proved everyone wrong; my mum always believed me which really boosted my confidence.

"I used to try and hide the fact that I was autistic, but my results are proof that it doesn't matter who you are – anything is possible with hard work and dedication."

When he was a child, doctors and other professionals told Connor's mother that he would never be able to talk and that she would need to care for him full-time.

Despite these early difficulties and a

struggle with autism, Connor pushed himself to achieve a GCSE grade A in English last week alongside a D*D* in his BTEC Level 2 in sport - the highest possible grade you can achieve on the course.

Connor is now looking to progress on to the BTEC Level 3 sport and exercise science at the college, based in Runnymede Chase, Benfleet.
Connor concluded: "It has taken me

longer than other people but I'm get-

ting there.
"I can't wait to improve my education even further with more GCSEs, and potentially go to university in the

Seevic College has introduced the It's All About ME programme to improve the maths and English skills of its students.

Developing skills throughout their course, as well as in dedicated lessons, all students apply these areas in a wide variety of contexts.

Course places are still available at the college for this September.





Warning of deadly mushroom danger

HEALTH officers have issued a warning over mushrooms after an "experienced" Southend forager suffered severe illness.

The warning came as the county's ancient woodlands fill with autumn crops of mushrooms and fungi – some of which include the fatal death

The picker was hospitalised for several days and was lucky

to survive as just one mushroom usually proves fatal.

A spokesman for Southend's Environmental Health team said: "Our officers are reminding residents to practise caution when foraging for food, after a local resident was hospitalised from inadvertently eating a poisonous mushroom.

"Although the resident, who does not wish to be identified, is now recovering well, it is a

worrying example of the risks of foraging for food.

"Foraging for food is an increasingly popular activity, but there is always a risk that foragers, no matter how experienced, may pick a poisonous mushroom or berry by mistake.

"Death cap mushrooms are extremely poisonous and eating just half of one can have fatal consequences."

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Nightclub stabber is jailed for seven years

Knife was plunged into victim's stomach and face outside club

A WESTCLIFF man has been jailed for seven-and-ahalf years over a stabbing incident in Southend.

George Facey-Smith, 21, of Denton Avenue, pleaded guilty to causing GBH after stabbing a man in the stomach and face outside the Talk Talk nightclub in Feb-

ruary this year. His victim – a man in his 20s – had just left the night-club and the pair got into an

The man had to undergo surgery for the wounds sustained in the attack.

Police caught Facey-Smith after the incident - which occurred at roughly 4am on Saturday, February 25 – was captured by Southend Council CCTV cameras.

He was arrested on Sunday, February 26.

DCI Neil Pudney said: "This was a shocking and violent attack that left a man with serious injuries.

acceptable and the consequence of doing so can be very serious – sometimes fatal.

"Facey-Smith will now spend a significant time behind bars and I hope he uses that time to reflect on his

Police hut arsonist caught

By Charles Thomson

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A SOUTHEND arsonist has been jailed for three years after torching a mobile police station in an area beset by crime.

Dwayne Curtis, 46, of York Road, committed the arson attack in his own street.

Essex Police said the mobile police station had been set up in York Road on Saturday, October 29, 'to provide public reassurance in response to a number of incidents in the

But by 12.30am on Sunday, October 30, Curtis had burnt it

Police said the mobile station was "damaged to the extent

that it could not be repaired".

Curtis was spotted on CCTV setting fire to a bag of rubbish, then putting it underneath the mobile police station.

He was sentenced at Basil-

don Crown Court today.
DCI Neil Pudney said: "The mobile police station had been put in place to help provide reassurance to the public after a number of incidents in the area which had caused con-

"Dwayne Curtis' actions were completely unnecessary and his wanton destruction of an important piece of equipment could have actually harmed the community in which he lives.

"While no one was injured in the fire, it could have had really serious consequences and could have posed a real risk to the safety of the public – many of whom would have called Curtis a neighbour.

"I hope Curtis will now reflect on his actions and the impact they had."



NEWS IN BRIEF

DIY tricksters warning

 POLICE are warning people in the Thorpe Bay area to be vigilant after reports that a group of men are offering to carry out home maintenance for a significant sum of money. The group approached an elderly man on August 18 and demanded a fourfigure sum for work which had been undertaken at his home in the Station Road area. They then drove him to his bank to withdraw the money. For further information visit www.essex.police.uk/ advice/bogus-callers

Ness Road assault

• A MAN has been hospitalised with a serious head injury after an alleged attack in Shoebury. Essex Police has not released any details about the man, who was found in Ness Road with a head injury at 10.15pm on Wednesday, August 30. A force spokesman said: "He was taken to hospital, where he is in a serious but stable condition." Police urged anyone with information about the incident to call Southend CID by dialling 101. Alternatively, call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111. • Two girls, aged 16 and 17, have been arrested on suspicion of causing GBH.

Building firm fails asbestos test

● A CONSTRUCTION company has been served a prohibition notice for failure to properly survey and control asbestos. Austere Services was served the order on June 21 at its registered addresss in High Street Hadleigh. The notice has been made public by the Health and Safety Executive. Five health and safety breaches were involved in the notice. The firm is registered at 58 Eagle Lodge, Golders Green Road, London NW11 8BE. It is listed as a private company.

Costcutter robbery

• POLICE are investigating a robbery in London Road, Southend, that happened shortly after 2am on Friday, September 1. Two suspects entered a Costcutter supermarket armed with a knife. They held the knife to the shopkeeper's throat and stole money from the till.

The first suspect is described as being a white man wearing a blue Converse hooded top, pulled over his face, blue tracksuit bottoms and grey

The second suspect is described as being a white man in a cream hooded top with black sleeves and Adidas stripes, with the hood covering his face, blue Adidas tracksuit bottoms and blue shoes. Witnesses should contact Southend police station on 101 or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.



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Long shot from our Greg

LOCAL journalist has released his first book.

Former Yellow Advertiser editor Greg Fidgeon, 39, (right) began writing his collection of short stories while working at the YA nearly 20 years ago.

He has since polished and edited those stories and added new ones to create The Long And The Short Short Of It.

Now available on Amazon, the stories for adults vary from tales of bullying and death to super-heroes and general silliness. Greg said: "With the help and



I was able to knuckle down and put together this book - pulling in old stories, updating others and writing new ones too." Greg started his journalism

career at the Leigh Times before spending 14 years at the Yellow Advertiser group, – six of which were as editor.

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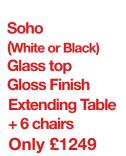


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The Environmental Health spokesman added: We urge anyone who is foraging to be extravigilant and, if in any doubt about a food's identification, not to eat it. When foraging, it is good practice to keep a sliver of the food you pick aside, so if an illness does arise, the food can be identified and appropriate treatment given.'

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Moaning won't stop **Brexit**

I LOVE to read Les Harrington and Paul Martin's letters in the YA, especially when they attack my views on Brexit, but I especially enjoyed the logic and good sense of Alan Jasper from Hadleigh, who writes: "The majority voted out, live with it."

Mr Jasper gives the bottom line that the Brexit decision has been made by the majority and that although I am very happy that my letters have gained a response, Mr Martin and Mr Harrington really need to stop moaning whilst trying to put their arguments across based on so-called experts.

I must say I do feel a little sorry for the remoaners, especially as they seem to believe all that the financial experts say instead of taking a logical

No one knows if our country will be better off outside of the EU although I am convinced we will be.

Check out the crime statistics and how many immigrants are committing criminal acts.

We need to greatly reduce immigration to reduce the bur-

den on our social services and provide a safer environment.

We need to trade internationally as well as within the EU. We live on an island which helps to keep us safe compared to the European mainland so let's not invite the danger into our homes.

I know a lot of decent lawabiding wonderful people that have come to this country but enough is enough, our borders need to be controlled for our

own security.
Attack me and others with your letters if you like because it makes for good democratic debate but please start talking some sense.

The UK is a democracy so let's get away from European control as instructed by the people.

Keith Little

Final say on a deal is inevitable

K. KNIGHT tells us that he doesn't have a clue what the final Brexit deal will look like because no one can foresee the future. (YA Readers' Letters,

Quite so. In fact, I've been

saying it myself for a long time now and, moreover, that if it turns out (as is looking increasingly likely) nothing like what we were promised then we must have a rethink .. although, naturally, he pretends not to have noticed.

And of course he thus artfully ignores the fact that many bought into this dodgy national gamble because of the bald Bs plastered on the sides of a big red Brexit bus et al during the referendum campaign ... and that sort of political mis-selling is really hairy for democracy no ques-

The example of referenda having been used by ruthless dictators like Hitler and Mussolini to manipulate their people and subvert the decent aims of democracy - which is not mob rule by any definition – notwithstanding. But why cannot a clueless

Mr Knight then take the final step and acknowledge that such a state of affairs renders a final say on a deal inevitable one way or another – in a mature democracy like ours if this nation's democracy is to be best served.

And he does want democracy to be best served doesn't he?

Iohn Haran Leigh-on-Sea

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prosecuted for fly-tipping in Southend

Handyman Darren Link, of Holland Road, Westcliff, was seen by a member of the public in Fossetts Way and his vehicle registration details were sent to Southend Council.

He was fined a total of £1,217, made up of a £750 first charge for fly-tipping, £167 second charge for failing to provide Duty of Care information tion, costs of £250, and a £50 victim surcharge.

against Vapeology, a vaping business from Ness Road, Shoeburyness, which fined a total of £1,155 (a £750 fine, £355 costs, and a £50 victim surcharge), which was also heard by Southend magistrates on the same day.

This offence was first brought to the council's attention after members of the council's parks department found rubbish dumped in nearby Jenna Close Playground, Shoeburyness, with the busi-

After several letters and fixed penalty notices being sent to the company, with no response, the council set about bringing Vapeology to court for failing to provide copies of waste transfer notes in relation to a fly-tipping investigation.

Cllr Tony Cox, executive councillor for waste, said: "These prosecutions send out a clear message that those who do not adhere to the laws on waste disposal will be caught and will be fined."





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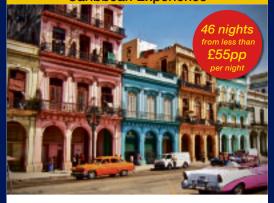
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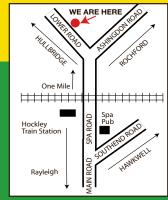


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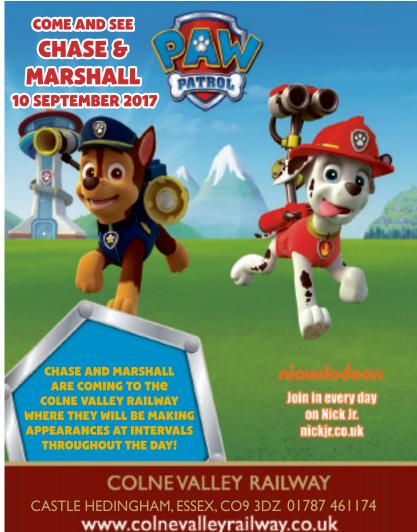


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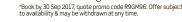


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AROLINE Flack knows all about troubled romances after her eight-week stint presenting Love Island, the most talked about show

of the summer.

The source of many a heated watercooler conversation, the show is all about relationships going wrong, or right, so it is fitting that she makes her theatrical debut playing Irene, a woman whose love life is also

bumpy, in hit musical, Crazy For You.

"She's strong. She knows what she wants. But there's a vulnerability," Caroline said, chatting during rehearsals for the production, which will be at Cliffs Pavillon, Southend, from September 26 -30.

"She gets hurt the whole way through, but she's brilliantly defiant. She stays strong and doesn't give up. She's naughty as well. There's definitely

bits of Irene that are quite like me.

Crazy For You, which tours the UK until May 2018, with Flack departing in December, is a joy-ful, romantic musical comedy packed with fantastic Gershwin songs. It tells the story of

Bobby, a banker who longs to be a stage star.

When he forced to foreclose on a failing theatre, he falls for the owner's daughter who would want nothing to do with him if she knew who he was Irene the is woman

h leaves behind. "It's feel good and

Flack. "It's a show the whole family can enjoy, but it's got a very cool vibe to it too. It's one of those shows where you will have a smile on your face the whole way through."

That cast, which includes Strictly Come Dancing winner Tom Chambers and West End star Charlotte Wakefield, are indeed supremely talented. While the "triple threat" performer – singer, dancer, actor – is considered the holy grail of musical theatre, Crazy For You stars are quadruple threats as they also play their own instruments. "I've never been so in awe of a cast before," Flack gushes.

It was her time on Strictly Come Dancing in 2014,

and the live tour, that reignited her ambition to per-

form on stage, one she has held since childhood.
When, as a teenager, she discovered performing could be a career, she set her heart on it and studied for three years at Bodywork Company in Cambridge. "It's the only real qualification I have," she laughs. Her ambition to perform on stage morphed into a

presenting career when she started being offered jobs. From co-presenting Channel 4's celebrity sports show The Games in 2005, she moved to Gladiators, Saturday morning kids show TMI, I'm A Celebrity...Get Me Out Of Here Now! and The Xtra Factor.

They are projects she loved, but that eagerness to get back to the theatre was always lurking. Quite simply, she says: "I love the stage."

"It wasn't just a case of wanting to be on stage, it was wasting to be on stage but doing the right thing," she added, and playing Irene gives her the opportunity to get to grips with a character rather than worrying about leading an entire show.

It is also a chance to relearn her craft and refresh her memory and, in a show packed with glorious songs like I Got Rhythm and They Can't Take That Away From Me, she has a fantastic solo number.

"As soon as I head Naughty Baby," she enthuses, "I thought "We this is great."

"It hought, 'Yes, this is great'."

Choreographer Nathan M Wright has created a new routine specifically for her that plays to her strengths and uses a piano and rope. "It's saucy and suggestive, but not too naughty," she laughs.

Caroline is looking forward to touring the UK as she is a fan of nomadic life. "I'm a traveller at heart," she said.

"There is so much more to the UK than London and I don't get to see it enough, so I'm massively excited. There's some really amazing venues around the UK, and to play them will be hugely exciting."

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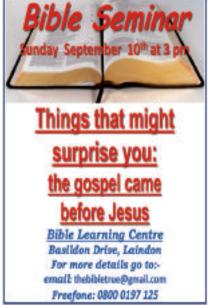
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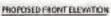


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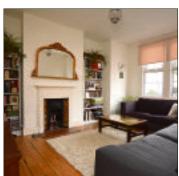


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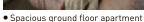
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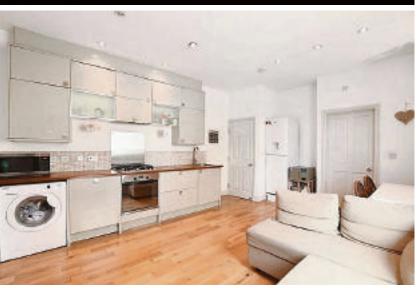
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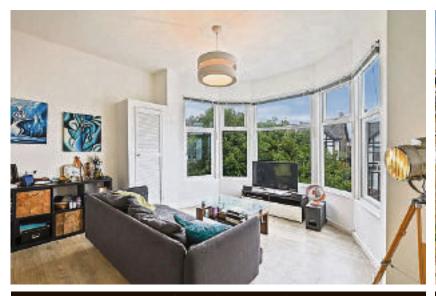
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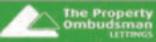
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Airstream rolls back into U

By Chris Russon

THE iconic American Airstream brand will officially relaunch in the UK at October's Motorhome and Caravan Show 2017, the UK's largest leisure vehicle show.

After a couple of years' absence, Airstream returns with the appointment of a new UK distributor.

Three new models for the UK include the flagship four-berth Colorado retailing at £99,195.00 as well as the smaller Yukon and Missouri models.

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caravan holidays across Great Britain in 2016, with

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some 130,000 people and there are over 1.7m caravaners and motorhomers in the UK.

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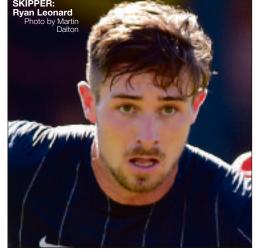
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Football

Southend United 0-0 Rochdale Brian Jeeves reporting from Roots Hall Stadium

SOUTHEND UNITED manager Phil Brown was frustrated that his side were unable to take all three points after Rochdale were reduced to ten men following the sending off of their captain Ian Henderson.

However, with such a lengthy injury list, the Blues boss was thrilled with the clean sheet that saw his side record their third successive Sky Bet League One draw.

Brown faced a crisis with defenders John White, Anton Ferdinand, Michael Turner, Rob Kiernan and Ben Coker all missing due to injury, while Jason Demetriou was away on international duty with Cyprus. In their absence, the Blues chief

In their absence, the Blues chief handed a league debut to 19-year-old, Elvis Bwomono, while Harry Kyprianou also came into a back four which included Michael Timlin and former West Ham United man Stephen Hendrie.

Nile Ranger was named among the substitutes following his release from prison.

Rochdale, without a victory at Roots Hall since May 1985 and winless at the start of the current campaign, arrived in south east Essex off the back of a useful draw with local rivals Bury

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Dale bolstered their ranks ahead
of the match, bringing in defensivemidfielder Jordan Williams on a
loan deal from Liverpool, ironically

taking his place in a line-up including his identical namesake in the visitors starting line-up.

There was an early let-off for Blues as the visitors' Williams saw his close range effort pushed onto an upright and away by goalkeeper, Mark Oxley. Meanwhile, Niall Canavan's clearance was diverted wide of the target by Stephen McLaughlin as Blues hustled for an opening of their own.

In a frustrating opening period, chances continued to come at a premium. Ryan Leonard failed to make a telling contact with McLaughlin's troublesome corner, but on the stroke of half-time Blues were presented with an opportunity to open the scoring.

Leonard appeared to be fouled by Joseph Rafferty. However, Simon Cox's penalty kick was brilliantly saved by Rochdale stopper Moore low to his right.

Cox fired wide as Southend looked to start the second period with a flourish. But within minutes a flashpoint offered the Blues an advantage. Rochdale skipper Henderson was late on Hendrie and was shown a straight red card by referee Tim Robinson on the advice of his standside assistant.

Sensing their chance, Blues boss Brown immediately threw former Newcastle United striker Ranger into the action in a bid to break the deadlock. Nevertheless, it was Rochdale who went close to scoring when Canavan nodded over from close range Dru Yearwood's appearance from the bench offered Southend a little more spark and polish in what was untidy fare on offer to the Roots Hall faithful on an equally scruffy playing surface. Fellow substitute Theo Robinson could only find the side netting with an angled effort, while Leonard headed directly at Moore as the home side continued to toil fruitlessly.

Despite some late pressure, in truth, Southend didn't do anywhere near enough to deserve all three points, much to the frustration of the home crowd, who have now not seen their side taste victory since the opening day of the season.

Speaking after the game, Brown said: "Ten men doesn't automatically guarantee you three points, you still have to play in a certain way and I think we became one dimensional. We started putting balls into Ranger and trying to get second balls from there instead of playing.

"We stopped going wide, we stopped getting the ball to Macca [Stephen McLaughlin] and McGlashan and stopped asking questions, better questions, then they went down to ten men.

"We had no divine right to win the game."

But Brown was pleased with the clean sheet, Southend's first of the season, adding: "That was the game plan. I apologise to the crowd, but I didn't have a defence."

Blues goalkeeper Oxley said: "We spoke about our shape as we had a few injuries

"I thought the lads bought into it massively, everyone put a shift in."

Rochdale manager Keith Hill was left frustrated by the performance of the referee, Robinson, explaining: "I think it started off after about 20 minutes. I thought the game was going in our direction."

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"We were the more positive, more dominant in possession.

"There was an incident where the referee came over to Phil [Brown], and from that point onwards, once he'd had a little cuddle, it just seemed to me that the refereeing went in a different direction completely.

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"I've got full respect for Phil, but I think he's actually mesmerised the referee and the officials."

Southend are next in League One action on Saturday, September 9 when they face Charlton Athletic at The Valley (3pm).

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Assistants: Ian Cooper, Andrew Fox
Fourth Official: Carl Brook
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Non-league round-up

Six out of six for in-form Basildon

By Brian Jeeves

BASILDON United made it six Essex Senior League victories out of six as Marc Harrison's men saw off Great Wakering Rovers by two goals to one at the Stuart Bingham Stadium.

Ashley Blackburn and Daniel Dafter were on target for the Bees, while Billy Johnson replied for Rovers. Speaking to *Yellow Sport* after the match, a delighted, but cautious, Harrison said: "You only have to look at the amount of senior appearances in their side, it's a huge difference. But we have pulled it off. But everyone needs to understand that it is still very early in the season and we are still underdogs in this division."

Jason Fontaine scored twice, while Michael Ogboin, Matheus Santos, Tony Cookey and Michael Sherwood all found the net as Barkingside won 6-2 at Hullbridge Sports, while Ilford picked up the points with a 2-0 success over Stansted at the Cricklefield Stadium.

West Essex eased past Burnham Ramblers by two goals to nil, while Redbridge were 3-2 winners at Woodford Town (2017). Sawbridgeworth Town also picked up maximum points, seeing off Waltham Forest 2-0 thanks to goals from Aaron Thomas and Joe Wright.

Dagenham & Redbridge and Leyton Orient, continue to set the pace at the top of the National League. Daggers currently lead the way after goals from Joe White, Morgan Ferrier and Elliott Romaine ensured a 3-1 success over Gateshead at Victoria Road.

Meanwhile, leading goal scorer Macauley Bonne bagged a hat-trick and new signing Matt Harrold added another as second placed Orient emphatically saw off Guiseley 4-1.

Billericay Town progressed in the Emirates FA Cup, seeing off Didcot Town 5-0 in front of a crowd of 1,159 at the AGP Arena. Jake Robinson grabbed a hat-trick for the home side, while Ricky Modeste and Adam Cunnington were also on target as Town eased into the second qualifying round.

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Barking are also in the hat after hammering Gorleston 4-0, Dan Gilchrist (2), Theo Ola and Alan Taylor with the east Londoners goals.

Alan Taylor with the east Londoners goals. Heybridge Swifts' cup adventure continues following a 3-1 win at Arlesey, while Maldon & Tiptree will try again after their tie with Hayes & Yeading United ended 3-3.

Grays Athletic are another side facing a replay, having finished all-square, 1-1, with Hertford Town and it was the same outcome as Thurrock met Harlow Town at Ship Lane.

But it was the end of the Wembley trail for Takeley, who lost 2-0 at Cheshunt.

Witham Town went down 2-1 at Ware and Brightlingsea Regent were beaten 4-1 at Hanwell Town. Tilbury also slipped out of the cup – the Dockers going down by a single goal at home to Aylesbury United.

Billy Crook and Phil Roberts were on target as Braintree Town took the National League South points at Oxford City. Sam Higgins snatched a late equaliser to earn East Thurrock United an important point against Wealdstone at Rookery Hill, while Chelmsford City were left frustrated as Bognor Regis Town came away from the Melbourne Stadium with a goalless draw.

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However, it was a bad day at the office for Concord Rangers, who slipped to a 2-0 defeat at the hands of Hungerford Town. Louie Soares and Nick Bignall scored the goals for the hosts.

The Velocity Trophy First Round tie between Canvey Island and Brentwood Town at Park Lane ended in a single goal victory for the visitors in front of a healthy 238 crowd.

Selected action from the ProKit UK Essex Olympian League saw Catholic United win their Premier Division clash at Frenford Senior by the odd goal in three, while Basildon Town picked up a point from an entertaining 2-2 draw at Bishop's Stortford Swifts.

White Ensign thrashed Rayleigh Town 4-0. Big winners of the day in Division Three were Old Southendian Reserves, who overcame their Canning Town counterparts by five goals to two.

Orient legend's delight at team's signs of revival

Football

Leyton Orient 4-1 Guiseley By Brian Jeeves

LEYTON Orient's recent National League revival continued at Guiseley's expense, and former front man, Peter Kitchen, could barely hide his delight.

The O's moved up to second place in the table after a Macauley Bonne hat-trick, coupled with a debut strike from Matt Harrold, saw off the struggling Yorkshire outfit.

Kitchen was thrilled to see the club challenging and seemingly back on their feet following the turmoil of the last couple of seasons.

"Who would have believed the O's would be up at the top after nine matches? He told *Yellow Sport*.

"This result and the position the club are in is a tribute to the excellent job done by director of football Martin Ling and manager Steve Davis. They must be very pleased

with the team's progress so far.

"The management team have assembled a good squad, with depth in most positions. They certainly look capable of regaining their Football League status at the first attempt."

Kitchen added: The O's supporters, who have been magnificent in backing the club through the darkest times, will also be over the moon with the way results are going. The team spirit and togeth-

erness is showing. Last month's shock 6-1 defeat at Bromley is now looking like a freak result. "Once again, Macauley Bonne

"Once again, Macauley Bonne proved to be the O's hero with a hat-trick, the first by an Orient player in eleven seasons. It was also great to see Matt Harrold quickly off the mark after he appeared as a second half substitute. Both have established themselves as fans' favourites. Long may it continue."



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